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Ms. Rebecca Chu
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BY E-MAIL ONLY

**RE: MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT – MAY 2014
JORGENSEN FORGE EARLY ACTION AREA – REMOVAL ACTION
IMPLEMENTATION
U.S. EPA DOCKET NO. CERCLA-10-2013-0032
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
FARALLON PN: 831-032**

Dear Ms. Chu:

Farallon Consulting, L.L.C. (Farallon) has prepared this monthly progress report on behalf of Earle M. Jorgensen Company (EMJ) to document the activities conducted during May 2014 at the Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund Site Jorgensen Forge Early Action Area (Site) in Seattle, Washington. This monthly progress report was prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order of Consent (AOC) for Removal Action Implementation at the Site issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 10 on November 5, 2012 under EPA Docket No. CERCLA-10-2013-0032. To date, approximately 20 percent of the required work is complete.

SCOPE OF WORK

This monthly progress report provides:

- A summary of field activities conducted during May 2014;
- Analytical results for samples collected during May 2014;
- A summary of deliverables submitted and received during May 2014;
- A summary of technical and regulatory meetings during May 2014;
- A summary of planned activities, meetings, and deliverables for June and July 2014; and
- A summary of deviations from the AOC schedule anticipated for June and July 2014.

FIELD ACTIVITIES – MAY 2014

A meeting with the contractor occurred on May 9, 2014 at the Site to discuss work areas, access/egress, schedule, Site security, and project personnel. No other field activities were conducted during May 2014.



ANALYTICAL RESULTS – MAY 2014

No analytical results were received by EMJ during May 2014.

DELIVERABLES – MAY 2014

The following deliverables were submitted in May 2014:

- Revised Removal Action construction schedule on May 2, 2014;
- April 2014 Monthly Progress Report was submitted to EPA on May 15, 2014;
- Mobilization and Schedule Activities Letter was submitted to EPA on May 20, 2014;
- Notification of Removal Action Start Letter was submitted to EPA on May 23, 2014;
- Revised Removal Action Work Plan was submitted to EPA on May 30, 2014.

TECHNICAL AND REGULATORY MEETINGS – MAY 2014

In accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding between EMJ, Jorgensen Forge, and The Boeing Company (Boeing), the parties participated in coordination meetings on May 26 and 30, 2014, and a joint coordination meeting with EPA on May 12, 2014.

A meeting was held at EPA on May 8, 2014 to discuss the transloading facility best management practice requirements and submittal of the Revised Removal Action Work Plan. A site visit with EPA and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers was held on May 21, 2014 at the Pacific Pile and Marine facility to review the transloading facility set-up and proposed operations.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES, MEETINGS, AND DELIVERABLES – JUNE AND JULY 2014

Activities

Removal action mobilization activities are scheduled to begin the week of June 2, 2014 and a Pre-Construction Meeting is planned for June 26, 2014.

Meetings

Project coordination meetings with Boeing are anticipated to occur semimonthly during June and July 2014, and project coordination meetings with Boeing and EPA are anticipated to occur on June 9 and July 7, 2014.

Deliverables

The following deliverables have been or will be provided to EPA during June and July 2014:

- BODR Addendum #2 to incorporate the modified dredge design for Boeing construction integration was submitted on June 2, 2014; and
- Monthly Progress Report – June 2014 by July 15, 2014.



DEVIATIONS FROM AOC SCHEDULE – JUNE AND JULY 2014

No deviations from the AOC schedule are anticipated in June and July 2014, assuming EPA issues approval of the Removal Action Work Plan and approves notice to proceed for the remaining Removal Action activities prior to June 28, 2014.

CLOSING

Farallon trusts that this monthly progress report provides sufficient information for EPA. If you have questions regarding this project, please contact the undersigned at (425) 295-0800.

Sincerely,

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